

Amendment to the Specification

Please replace the paragraph starting on line 22 of page 8 with the following:

(1) a phenyl group which may be substituted with 1 to 5 substituents selected from: (1') a C₁₋₆ alkyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from a C₁₋₆ alkyl group, a C₂₋₆ alkenyl group, a C₂₋₆ alkynyl group, a C₆₋₁₂ aryl group, a C₇₋₁₄ aralkyl group, (6') a hydroxy group, a C₁₋₆ alkoxy group, a C₆₋₁₂ aryloxy group, a C₇₋₁₄ aralkyloxy group, a C₁₋₆ alkyl-carbonyloxy group, a C₂₋₆ alkenyl-carbonyloxy group, a C₂₋₆ alkynyl-carbonyloxy group, a C₁₋₆ alkylthio group, a C₆₋₁₂ arylthio group, a C₇₋₁₄ aralkylthio group, a carboxy group, a C₁₋₆ alkyl-carbonyl group, a C₂₋₆ alkenyl-carbonyl group, a C₂₋₆ alkynyl-carbonyl group, a C₆₋₁₂ aryl-carbonyl group, a C₇₋₁₄ aralkyl-carbonyl group, a C₁₋₆ alkoxy-carbonyl group, a C₂₋₆ alkenyloxy-carbonyl group, a C₂₋₆ alkynyloxy-carbonyl group, a C₆₋₁₂ aryloxy-carbonyl group, a C₇₋₁₄ aralkyloxy-carbonyl group, a carbamoyl group, a mono-C₁₋₆ alkyl-carbamoyl group, a di-C₁₋₆ alkylcarbamoyl group, a C₁₋₆ alkylsulfonyl group, a C₂₋₆ alkenylsulfonyl group, a C₂₋₆ alkynylsulfonyl group, an amino group, a mono-C₁₋₆ alkylamino group, a di-C₁₋₆ alkylamino group, a mono-C₂₋₆ alkenylamino group, a di-C₂₋₆ alkenylamino group, a mono-C₂₋₆ alkynylamino group, a di-C₂₋₆ alkynylamino group, a mono-C₆₋₁₂ arylamino group, a di-C₆₋₁₂ arylamino group, a mono-C₇₋₁₄ aralkylamino group, a di-C₇₋₁₄ aralkylamino group, a halogen atom, an azido group, a nitro group, a cyano group, a 5- to 8-membered heterocyclic group (this heterocyclic group may be substituted with a halogen atom, a hydroxy group, or a C₁₋₆ alkyl group which may be halogenated), a 5- to 8-membered heterocyclic-oxy group (this heterocyclic moiety may be substituted with a halogen atom, a hydroxy group, or a C₁₋₆ alkyl group which may be halogenated), a 5- to 8-membered heterocyclic-carbonyl group (this heterocyclic moiety may be substituted with a halogen atom, a hydroxy group, or a C₁₋₆ alkyl group which may be halogenated), a C₁₋₄ alkylene group, and a C₁₋₄ alkylenedioxy group (hereinafter, simply referred to as Substituent Group C); (2') a C₂₋₆ alkenyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (3') a C₂₋₆ alkynyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (4') a C₆₋₁₂ aryl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (5') a C₇₋₁₄ aralkyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (6') a hydroxy group; (7') a C₁₋₆ alkoxy group which may be substituted with a substituent selected

from the Substituent Group C; (8') a C₆₋₁₂ aryloxy group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (9') a C₇₋₁₄ aralkyloxy group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (10') a C₁₋₆ alkyl-carbonyloxy group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (11') a C₂₋₆ alkenyl-carbonyloxy group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (12') a C₂₋₆ alkynyl-carbonyloxy group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (13') a C₁₋₆ alkylthio group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (14') a C₆₋₁₂ arylthio group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (15') a C₇₋₁₄ aralkylthio group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (16') a carboxy group; (17') a C₁₋₆ alkyl-carbonyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (18') a C₂₋₆ alkenyl-carbonyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (19') a C₂₋₆ alkynyl-carbonyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (20') a C₆₋₁₂ aryl-carbonyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (21') a C₇₋₁₄ aralkyl-carbonyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (22') a C₁₋₆ alkoxy-carbonyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (23') a C₂₋₆ alkenyloxy-carbonyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (24') a C₂₋₆ alkynyloxy-carbonyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (25') a C₆₋₁₂ aryloxy-carbonyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (26') a C₇₋₁₄ aralkyloxy-carbonyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (27') a carbamoyl group; (28') a mono-C₁₋₆ alkyl-carbamoyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (29') a di-C₁₋₆ alkyl-carbamoyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (30') a C₁₋₆ alkylsulfonyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (31') a C₂₋₆ alkenylsulfonyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (32') a C₂₋₆ alkynylsulfonyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (33') an amino group; (34') a mono-C₁₋₆ alkylamino group which may be substituted with a substituent selected

from the Substituent Group C; (35') a di-C₁₋₆ alkylamino group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (36') a mono-C₂₋₆ alkenylamino group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (37') a di-C₂₋₆ alkenylamino group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (38') a mono-C₂₋₆ alkynylamino group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (39') a di-C₂₋₆ alkynylamino group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (40') a mono-C₆₋₁₂ arylamino group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (41') a di-C₆₋₁₂ arylamino group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (42') a mono-C₇₋₁₄ aralkylamino group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (43') a di-C₇₋₁₄ aralkylamino group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (44') a mono-5- to 8-membered heterocyclic amino group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (45') a di-5- to 8-membered heterocyclic amino group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (46') a (C₁₋₆ alkyl which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C) (a 5- to 8-membered heterocyclic which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C) amino group; (47') a halogen atom; (48') an azido group; (49') a nitro group; (50') a cyano group; (51') a 5- to 8-membered heterocyclic group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (52') a 5- to 8-membered heterocyclic-oxy group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (53') a 5- to 8-membered heterocyclic-carbonyl group which may be substituted with a substituent selected from the Substituent Group C; (54') a C₁₋₄ alkylene; and (55') a C₁₋₄ alkylendioxy group (hereinafter, simply referred to Substituent Group A),

Please replace the paragraph starting on line 4 of page 34 with the following:

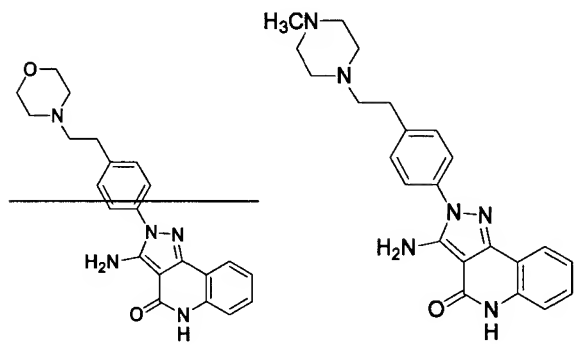
[8] The compound according to [1] above ~~claim 1~~, wherein R¹ is (1) a phenyl group which may be substituted with 1 to 3 substituents selected from: (a) a C₁₋₆ alkyl group which may be substituted with 1 to 3 halogen atoms or hydroxy groups, (b) a C₁₋₆ alkoxy group, (c) a C₁₋₆ alkyl-carbonyloxy group, (d) a C₁₋₆ alkoxy-carbonyl group, (e) a C₁₋₆ alkyl-carbonyl group, (f) a C₁₋₆ alkylsulfonyl group, (g) a halogen atom, (h) a hydroxy group, (i) an amino group, (j) a nitro

group, (k) a carboxy group, (l) a cyano group, (m) a C₆₋₁₂ aryloxy group, (n) a C₇₋₁₄ aralkyloxy group, (o) a C₆₋₁₂ aryl-carbonyl group, (p) a C₇₋₁₄ aralkyl-carbonyl group, (q) a mono-C₁₋₆ alkylamino group, (r) a di-C₁₋₆ alkylamino group, (s) a C₆₋₁₂ arylamino group, and (t) a C₇₋₁₄ aralkylamino group (hereinafter, simply referred to as Substituent Group B), (2) a pyridyl group which may be substituted with 1 to 3 substituents selected from the Substituent Group B, (3) a thiazolyl group which may be substituted with 1 to 3 substituents selected from the Substituent Group B, or (4) a pyrimidinyl group which may be substituted with 1 to 3 substituents selected from the Substituent Group B;

Please replace the paragraph starting on line 26 of page 209 with the following:

Example 94

3-amino-2-{4-[2-(4-methyl-1-piperazinyl)ethyl]phenyl}-2,5-dihydro-4H-pyrazolo[4,3-c]quinolin-4-one



Please replace the paragraph starting on line 2 of page 223 with the following:

¹H-NMR (DMSO-d₆, 300 MHz): δ 2.50 (3H, s), 3.96 (3H, s), 7.12-7.17 (1H, m), 7.25 (1H, d, J = 8.1 Hz), 7.29 (2H, br s), 7.39-7.45 (1H, m), 7.90 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 8.63 (1H, s), 10.80 (1H, br s).